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TAGS: ENRG, TH

SUBJECT: PROHIBITION ON U.S.FUEL FOR THAI ARMED FORCES

1. WE HAVE JUST LEARNED THAT DOD APPROPRIATIONS ACT FOR FY 74 (SECTION 746) CONTAINS UNANTICIPATED PROVISION AS FOLLOWS:

"NONE OF THE FUNDS CONTAINED IN THIS ACT SHALL BE USED TO FURNISH PETROLEUM FUEL PRODUCED IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES TO SOUTHEAST ASIA FOR USE BY NON-U.S. NATIONALS."

THE SAME PROVISION IS INCLUDED IN THE FY 74 FOREIGN AID APPROPRIATIONS ACT.

2. THIS MEANS THAT THAI FMS PURCHASE OFFUEL FOR ARMED SERVICES MUST BE TERMINATED AT ONCE AND RTG MUST MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR PURCHASES FROM ALTERNATIVE COMMERCIAL UNCLASSIFIED

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SOURCES. IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE FOR RTG TO DRAW ON U.S.

STOCKS FOR SUBSEQUENT REPLACEMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT.
YOU SHOULD SO INFORM THE RTG EXPRESSING OUR DEEP REGRET
BUT EXPLAINING THAT IT IS NOW THE LAW OF THE LAND WITH
WHICH WE HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO COMPLY.

3. MACTHAI WILL BE SENT APPROPRIATE INSTRUCTIONS THROUGH
SEPARATE MILITARY MESSAGE. KISSINGER

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